THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Masaki Fujiwara et al.

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Examiner: Tsang Foster, Susy

For: MOLDED ELECTRODE, METHOD FOR PRODUCTION THEREOF, AND

SECONDARY BATTERY USING THEREOF

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **October 22, 2003**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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